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Iron, Missouri, THURSDAY - APRIL 13, 1916.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

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LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

Crowded this week.

Where will the high school be located?

The early gardens have had lots of snow.

When are we going to have some street crossings?

Easter, April 23d. Then, perhaps, spring will come.

The Valley Inn will be open for summer visitors May 1st.

Des Arc voted to build a \$4,000 school house last week.

No. 3 last Friday had three extra coaches, filled with soldiers, bound for Mexico.

W. D. Fletcher last week shipped a car of wheat from Arcadia to the new flour mill at Annapolis.

See Dorothy Bernard in "The District Attorney" at the Picture Show Saturday night. Great!

With the convening of the April term of circuit court the candidates will begin to get busy.

The increases in valuation made by the Board of Equalization last week are published in this issue.

The fellow who pays the least taxes is generally the loudest-mouthed advocate for an increased levy.

The W. O. T. U. will meet at the Union Methodist church, Iron, Wednesday, April 19, at 2:30 p. m.

It is said that the Iron Mountain contemplates installing telephones in all the stations to be used in dispatching trains.

The north-bound passenger trains were crowded last week carrying people from Hot Springs who had been attending the races.

Bismarck item in Farmington News: "Mrs. Geo. Buford was called to the bedside of her brother."

It is said that a St. Louis corporation has bought a big body of land near Glover and will build a saw mill there in the near future.

A snow storm, lasting twenty-four hours, commenced last Friday morning. The flakes melted, though, as soon as they touched the ground.

Some people have a habit of not paying their city taxes. The present collector says there must be a change along this line. A word to the wise is sufficient.

It is said that Gambrinus' foaming beverage was to an extent responsible for the enthusiasm some of the colored brethren manifested for the high school proposition.

Mrs. A. L. Hill and son, Hartford, left Saturday for Hot Springs, for a month's stay and then will return to Mrs. Hill's mother and visit a month. -Fredericktown Tribune.

Under Mr. Trauernicht's directions one hundred and ten loads of gravel were put on the road between here and Pilot Knob one day last week. Several hundred loads were hauled in all.

Dr. and Mrs. C. O. Kerlagon went to St. Louis Wednesday morning. The Doctor returned the same evening, while Mrs. Kerlagon remained for a few days' visit. -Bismarck Gazette.

A few weeks ago some man happened along the railroad and organized the section men. Last week the company removed all the foremen who had joined the order and put new men in their places.

Giles McMahon, who has been spending the winter with his mother in the west end of the county, is in Iron today on his way to Cheyenne, Wyoming, where he has made his home for several years.

In response to a petition signed by a goodly number of our citizens, the Evangelists, Burk and Hobbs, have decided to hold a meeting in Farmington, beginning about the 18th of June. -Farmington Times.

After the snow storm the thermometer went down to 33 last Saturday night and to Sunday night. In consequence, two pretty hard frosts and the fruit suffered. To-day (Wednesday) is an ideal spring day.

For SALE—New Ford Run-about-Automobile. Made one trip, 33 miles. Reason for selling, roads washed away in this County last August. Price, \$350.00.

M. L. COVELAND, Ellington, Mo.

The ladies of the Cemetery Improvement Association will give a Supper at the Academy of Music, Thursday evening, April 27th. Supper, 25 cents. Everybody attend, have a good time and help a worthy cause.

The Spelling Contest, to be participated in by students from all the schools in the county, will take place at the Iron School building next Saturday morning, April 15, at 10:30 o'clock. Athletic Meet at St. Paul's Park at 1:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Dr. G. W. Farrar will leave for Kansas City Thursday morning to appear before the State Board of Health and defend himself of the charge that is laid upon him of prescribing prescriptions for beverages. The Dr. is confident that he can convince the board of his innocence.

At the town election in Arcadia last week A. J. Boardman, Louis Miller, Jr., C. F. Hargrave, Brinker Evans and Geo. Shores were elected members of the board for the ensuing year. Lee Davis, Jack Ooad and Wm. Bethel were candidates for Marshal. Davis was elected.

David Slight, of Bellevue, last week bought the W. W. Schaefer farm on Clay Co. road, near Farmington, from J. H. Kinnebrew. Consideration \$1250. The deal was made by M. A. Young. Mr. Slight expects to move into the property this week. -Farmington News.

Hon. Edward Robb returned from a trip over several of the counties comprising the 13th congressional district last Tuesday, and found the political situation so encouraging that he has fully decided to get into the race and will stay in the race to the finish. -The Perryville Sun.

It is probable that in the near future the mail service from Iron to the Silver Mines will be increased to six days in the week. At present but three trips are made weekly. Increased activity at the mines calls for better mail service. Joe Haven, the mail contractor, says that he is arranging to run a back from the mines to carry passengers.

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The M. M. Club met on Thursday, April 13, with Mrs. F. Erbe, Mesdames W. T. Gay, Minutes of last meeting read and approved. No business of any importance, and a general good time was had. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. F. Kindell, Jr., served a most delicious three-course luncheon in which the club's colors, lavender and white, were very much in evidence. The favors were sweet peas (club's flowers) in their colors. Those present were: Mesdames W. T. Gay, F. Kindell, Jr., C. F. Forehe, A. Heywood, F. Kindell, Jr., F. Erbe, and C. F. Hanson.

The location of a site for the new High School in the Iron district is being engaged by the committee of the school board. Several sites have been proposed but none, so far, been decided on. It is semi-officially announced, however, that the structure will not be located north of the present building, the desire being to locate it in the central part of town, if possible, and not far away from the old school building. As soon as the site is agreed on matters will be hurried as much as possible in the endeavor to get the structure completed so that it can be used the coming school year. This will require unusual energy, however, and fast work.

Alfred Schwab, John Knight, Wm. Harrison and Andrew Yates, of Pilot Knob, were arrested Saturday on the charge of disturbing the peace. They were tried before Justice Rasche Tuesday afternoon, who found the two first named guilty and fined them \$1 and costs each. Harrison and Yates were discharged. Another charge of violation of the local option law has been filed against Schwab. It seems the young men got drunk on some whiskey received on train 23 Saturday. It is alleged that Schwab ordered the whiskey and distributed it among the other members of the party, which is in violation of the local option law. His trial will be had Wednesday. The penalty on conviction is \$300 fine.

From Sunday's St. Louis Republic: "Dr. Henry W. Schulz of 3003 Cherokee street was sued for divorce by his wife, Clara. She states that for 10 years before they separated April 1 he was cold and indifferent to her and objected to any display of affection. He exhibited a bad temper, used bad language and was sullen and morose, refusing to speak to her for days at a time, she avers. In September, 1913, when she was sick in bed, he refused to go near her or speak to her, she states, and told her he wanted to be free and alone, was tired of everything and hated to hear her voice. Last Christmas, she states, he would not permit her to buy him a Christmas present. He refused to spend Christmas Eve and New Year's Eve with her and went outside, she states. They were married at Iron, Mo., March 27, 1896. They have no children. Harry Baer is her attorney. Dr. Schulz declines to discuss the suit."

A genuine surprise was given my old friend, Mr. Henry L. Simerman, at the Valley Inn last Wednesday evening. About thirty members of Star of the West Lodge, No. 133, A. F. & A. M., formed in column at 8 o'clock and marched in solemn phalanx to the Valley Inn. Wm. H. Trauernicht, proudly bearing in hand the "surprise." It was an elegant gold-headed cane suitably inscribed.

commemorative of the sixty years' Masonic life of its recipient. Arriving at our destination, Mr. Simerman was called into the Inn's spacious hall, and he greeted us with a look of "I wonder what all this is about!" dominating his countenance. After two or three musical selections—Miss Irene Marshall playing the piano, Mr. W. H. Weber extracting sweet strains from his violin, and the flute edging in a few tones now and then—after this, presentation was formally made. But there was nothing formal in the feeling governing the affair; it was a sincere expression of the desire of all to render honor to the donee. He expressed his gratification with few words, but they came from his heart. May his steps for many years still to come be steered by the gift from his brethren! After a little more music the introducer said "good-bye" and disappeared to their several homes, satisfied with themselves and at peace with all the world.

A letter was received in Iron from Sunday from Joe Beatty Burt, an attorney in Chicago, making inquiry as to the whereabouts of Mrs. Alzina Rounds. Mrs. Rounds is described as being about five feet, eight inches tall, brown hair, blue eyes, weight about 145 lbs. When last seen she was wearing a black wide-brimmed fur hat, trimmed with black band, worked in silver beads, dark long plush coat, black dress and shoes and had her left wrist tied up in splints and had yellowed case. Mrs. Rounds left Chicago to pay a visit to Quincy, Michigan, about February 10th; went from there to Ohio and then came to Iron. The attorney writes that she was last heard from in Iron and her husband, Joseph M. Rounds, is very much alarmed because he believes her to be in the hands